Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia

Statute report for 19th Energy Efficiency Group Meeting

Energy Efficiency Policy Division

5 March, 2019
EED NEEAP preparation & MVP reporting (Art 24)

- **EE & NEEAP:**
  - EE Law approved by the GoG with Comments;
  - Amendment introduced the EE Agency;
  - NEEAP updated in 2018 (2019 - 2021);
  - NEEAP submission (GoG - March).

- **MVP & Methodology:**
  - MVP to be adopted within 6 months;
  - Elaboration on the methodology in 2019 (TA is needed).
2020 EE Target (Art 3) & Annual EED Reports (Art 24)

- **2020 EE Target:**
  - Saving to be achieved by Primary (9% against BAU) & Final energy consumption (4% against BAU);
  - Targets updated every 3 years.

- **Annual EED Reports:**
  - Annex II: General Framework for Reporting is drafted;
  - Monitoring & reporting progress 2020 targets.
EEO schemes: calculation of target & notification to ECS (Art 7)

- EEO Schemes & Alternative Policy Measures are carried out by means of adopting a respective secondary legislation;
- The law has introduced alternative approach through establishing the EE Agency, introducing the Voluntary agreements etc.
- After adopting NEEAP, the Ministry will notify ECS on Alternative Policy Measures to be adopted.
Inventory of Central Government Buildings (Art 5)

Renovation Strategy (Art 4) & EE Procurement (Rulebook) (Art 6)

- **Government Buildings:**
  - Annual 1% renovation (EE law);
  - Obligation to renovate (12 months).

- **EE Procurement:**
  - LEPL Public Procurement Agency;
  - EE Procurement Rules (18 months);
  - Respective regulation to be adopted by the GoG.
- Article 13 of EE law set the basis for Energy Performance Contracts:
  - Energy Performance Contract Rules (18 months);
  - Energy Performance Contract Accounting Rules (24 months);
Facilitate the establishment of new financing facilities; EE Funds (Art 20)

- **EE Agency:**
  - Legal Entity of Public Law, accountable to the Ministry;
  - Exercises the implementation, control and supervision of state policy;
  - Promotes, facilitates and finances the programs, measures and activities;
  - State control in EE policy enforcement over private and public sectors;
  - Agency will be established within 6 months after law is in place (TA is needed)
EP Calculation Methodology (Art 3), Setting of MEPs (Art 4) & Calculation of Cost-Optimal Levels (Art 5)

- **EP, Cost-Optimal Level & MEPs Calculation Methodology:**
  - National methodology for calculating energy performance of buildings to be established through the secondary legislation;
  - In accordance with national and European standards (EU Commission Regulation (EU) No 244/2012);
  - Minimum energy performance requirements calculated using the comparative methodology framework;
  - Cost-optimal levels of minimum energy performance requirements shall be calculated by using the comparative methodology framework;
  - Development of software for energy performance calculation (TA is needed);
  - Secondary legislation to be adopted before June 30, 2019.
EP Certification (Art 11) & Registry (Art 12)

- **EP Certification:**
  - The rules and procedures on energy performance certification to be established by a secondary legislation;
  - Secondary legislation to be adopted before June 30, 2019.

- **Registry:**
  - The Ministry shall set up a national registry/database of certified experts, energy performance certificates and inspection reports;
  - Secondary legislation to be adopted before June 30, 2019.
EE Departments, Implementing agencies & enforcement bodies

- Energy Efficiency Policy Division is responsible for overall implementation of EE policy;
- EE agency will be responsible for enforcement after it is Established.

- EE Law, NEEAP were developed by Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy Division (established in 2013 within Ministry of Energy) under the EBRD assistance, currently, Energy Efficiency Policy Division, within Ministry of Economy and Sustainable Development of Georgia;
- EPB law was developed by Construction Policy Department in the frame of EU4Energy TA;
- Several regulations under EPB law are elaborated under DANIDA TA;
- Energy Labelling Law was developed in the frame of DANIDA TA by a Sustainable Development Division;
- Eco-design Law is being elaborated by EE policy division with DANIDA TA.
Thank you for paying attention!

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